

# START SPEAKING JAPANESE TODAY

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## PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

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### Vowels

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| 1. a, i, u, e, o                                    | 5. meishi<br>keisatsu  |
| 2. naka<br>migi<br>suru<br>en<br>soto               | 6. arimas <u>u</u><br>ch <u>i</u> kaku<br>doko des <u>u</u> ka<br>res <u>u</u> toran<br>sh <u>i</u> ta |
| 3. a    ā<br>i    ī<br>u    ū<br>e    ē<br>o    ō   | 7. depāto<br>eki<br>ginkō<br>o-furo<br>o-tearai<br>takushī   |
| 4. kīte, kite<br>kō, ko<br>mō, mo<br>obāsan, obasan |  |

## Consonants

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| 8. o-furo<br>futon<br>naifu                     | 12. tsugi<br>tsuin<br>tsumetai  |
| 9. migi<br>shigoto<br>unagi                     | 13. Tōkyō<br>menyū<br>ryokan<br>kompyūtā                                      |
| 10. ra<br>ri<br>ru<br>re<br>ro                  | 14. ryō, riyō<br>byōin, biyōin<br>myō, miyō<br>kyaku, kiyaku<br>hyaku, hiyaku |
| 11. o-tera<br>noriba<br>hoteru<br>kore<br>shiro | 15. kite, kitte<br>kata, katta<br>kaki, kakki<br>dashu, dasshu                |

## Practice

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| 16. eki<br>basu-tei<br>takushī noriba<br>hoteru<br>furonto<br>yokan<br>o-furo<br>bijutsu-kan<br>shiro<br>jinja | o-tera<br>depāto<br>kombini<br>ginkō<br>resutoran<br>kissaten<br>hon-ya<br>kamera-ya<br>yakkyoku |
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